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Title: IN-PROCESS CORRECTION OF STAGE MIRROR
DEFORMATIONS DURING A PHOTOLITHOGRAPHY EXPOSURE
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Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	24
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Abstract	1
Declaration	[To be Filed at a Later Date]
Drawing(s)	9

Enclosures:

- New disclosure information, including:
 - Information disclosure statement, 1 pages.
 - PTO-1449, 1 pages.
 - References, 12 items.
- Postcard.

Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional application 60/432,848, filed December 12, 2002.

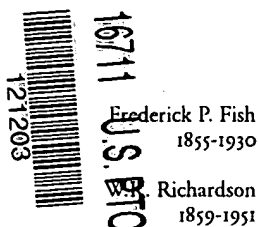
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